worthiness, benevolence, — he has everything for him. You know, my dear fellow, that I live only for the happiness of my own family.

7th. All is quiet. It is a mistake to view the situation tragically. The Republic, powerful abroad, will soon succeed in reestablishing order at home.

llth. The primary assemblies refuse to accept the decree.

£7th. There is considerable uneasiness, and much inflammable material.

October 3d. (11 Vendemiaire.)

Paris is ablaze since this morning. I must be cautious. I have little enough influence.

4th. (12 Vendemiaire.)

I am going out to get news.

I found several deputies in a state of great alarm, among others Cambac6res. They expected to be attacked next day, and didn't know what to do; my reply was, Give me cannon. This suggestion paralyzed them.

The night passed, and no decision come to.

5th (13 Vendemiaire), *morning:*

The news was very bad. They then put the matter in my hands, and set to discussing whether they had the right to repel force by force. Do you intend to wait, —